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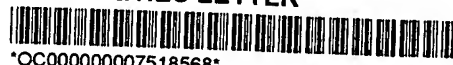
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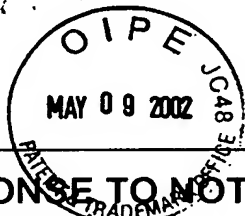
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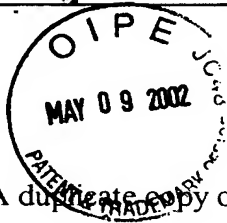
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To complete the filing requirements for the above-referenced application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.51, enclosed please find an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed February 22, 2002 is also enclosed herewith.

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) surcharge fee of **\$130.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.
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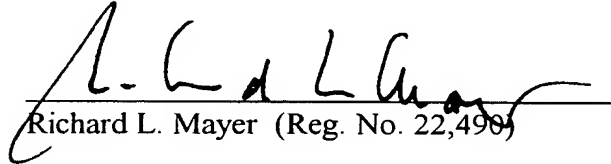


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